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ROSTOV
PROBABLE LONG RANGE
SAM LAUNCH COMPLEX
USSR

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NAME

Rostov Probable Long Range SAM Launch Complex 25X1A

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REFERENCES

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The Rostov Probable Long Range SAM (PLRS) Launch Complex is located approximately 20.7 nautical miles (nm) SW of Rostov, USSR, and 21.5 nm SW of Taganrog, USSR. This complex was previously reported, based on KEYHOLE index camera photography. 1/

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The complex can be negated on KEYHOLE photography of [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]. Security fencing and minor grading activity seen on
photography of [REDACTED] were the first visible indica-
tors of complex construction. Since that time the complex has been covered
twice by KEYHOLE photography, with the latest coverage coming on [REDACTED]
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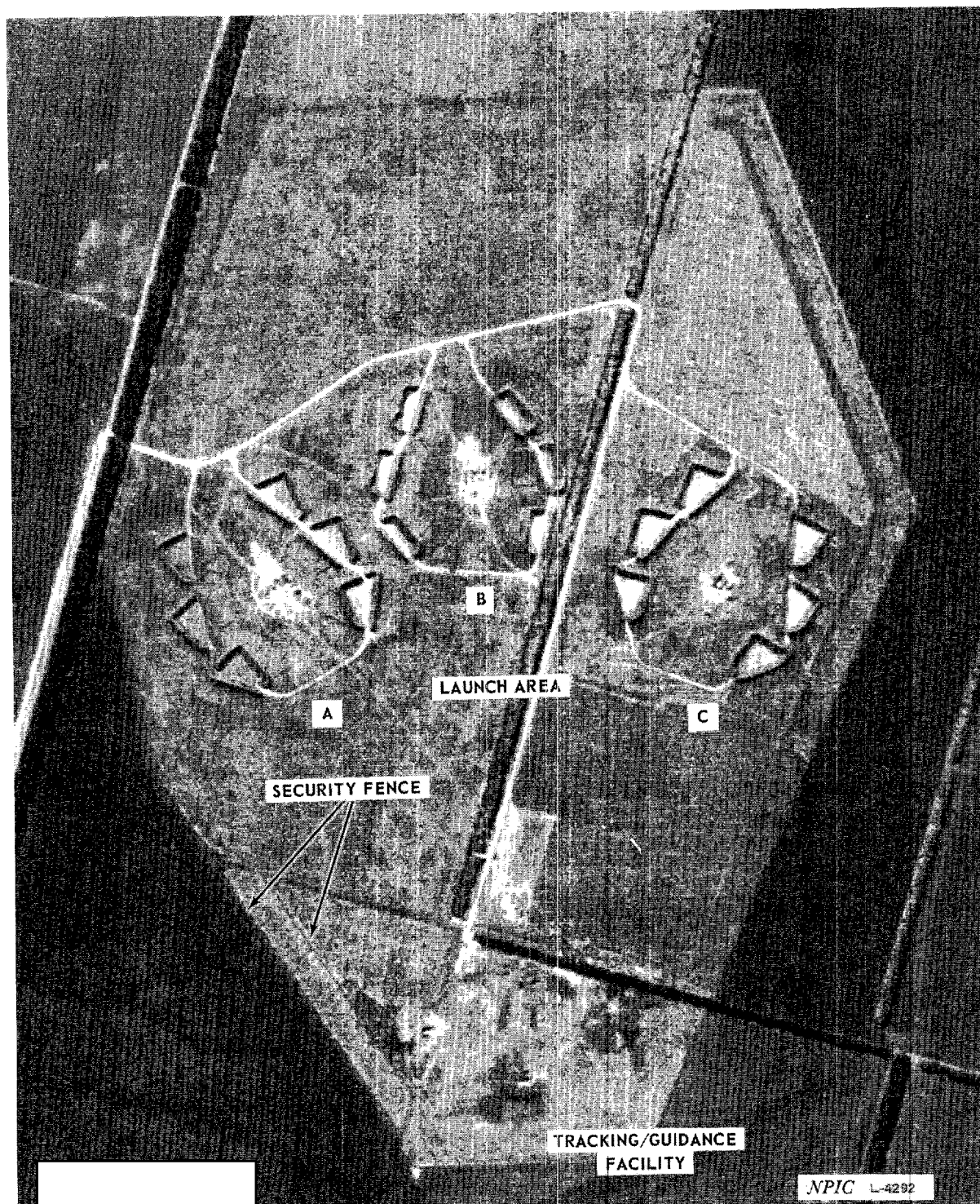
The doubly secured complex consists of 3 fully revetted launch sites, a tracking/guidance facility, and an air warning site 3.8 nm NNE of the launch complex, all in an early stage of construction. The revetment design at Rostov is similar to the PLRS launch complexes at Volgograd and Kapustin Yar, USSR, making a total of 3 known complexes with this particular revetment design.

Orientation of the site is approximately 160 degrees, and it is situated 50 feet above mean sea level.

Additional reference: 1. NPIC. TCS-80553/67, Rostov Probable Long Range SAM Launch Complex, USSR, Sep 67 (TS RUFF)

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